

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Madhavi W. Chandra et al.  
Serial No.: 10/625,994  
Filing Date: July 24, 2003  
Group Art Unit: 2616  
Confirmation No. 9889  
Examiner: Shick C. Hom  
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR EXCHANGING  
AWARENESS INFORMATION IN A NETWORK  
ENVIRONMENT

**MAIL STOP RCE**

Honorable Commissioner  
for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

In response to the Advisory Office Action mailed August 17, 2006, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the following Amendments thereto, and the comments as set forth below. Please amend the Application as follows.